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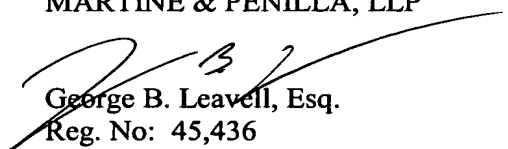
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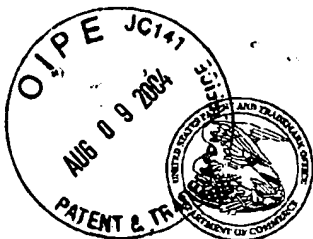
In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application--Filing Date Granted mailed **June 22, 2004**, Applicants hereby attach the Declaration and Power of Attorney and the copy of the Notice to be returned with this response.

Enclosed is our Check No. 12239 for \$130.00 in payment of the surcharge. The Commissioner is authorized to charge any other fees that may be due to our Deposit Account No. 50-0805 (Order No. LAM2P447). A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for this purpose.

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The oath or declaration is missing.
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SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

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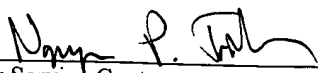
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